

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	)	
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Yin, <i>et al.</i>	)	Group Art Unit: Unassigned
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Serial No. Unassigned	)	Confirmation No: Unassigned
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Filed: Concurrently	)	Examiner: Unassigned
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For: "PIEZOELECTRIC COMPOSITES AND	)	
METHODS FOR MANUFACTURING	)	
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**AUTHORIZATION TO TREAT REPLY REQUIRING EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**AS INCORPORATING PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450

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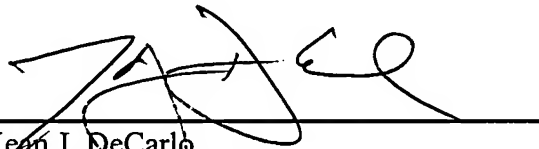
Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3), the Commissioner is hereby requested and authorized to treat any concurrent or future reply in the above-identified application, requiring a petition for an extension of time for its timely submission, as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0629.

Respectfully submitted,


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